

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, IOWA DEPARTMENT OF[261]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code sections 15.104 and 15.106, the Iowa Department of Economic Development hereby amends Chapter 38, "Regional Sports Authority Districts," Iowa Administrative Code.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on July 16, 2008, as **ARC 6942B**.

These amendments make it possible for applications to be accepted and reviewed on an annual basis, rather than for one year only. The amendments also clarify that the certification of a district is good for only one fiscal year and that IDED will certify no more than ten districts each year.

The Department held a public hearing on Thursday, August 7, 2008, to receive comments on the amendments. The Department received ten written comments, plus one oral comment at the public hearing. All of the comments related to the application deadline. Some of the commenters requested an earlier deadline, while the majority of the commenters requested keeping the deadline the same. The Department has decided to keep the same October 1 deadline for this round of funding as in the past. These amendments are identical to those published under Notice of Intended Action.

The Iowa Economic Development Board adopted these amendments on September 18, 2008.

These amendments will become effective on November 12, 2008.

These amendments are intended to implement 2008 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2432, section 1(5)"c."

EDITOR'S NOTE: Pursuant to recommendation of the Administrative Rules Review Committee published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin, September 10, 1986, the text of these amendments [38.1 to 38.8] is being omitted. These amendments are identical to those published under Notice as **ARC 6942B**, IAB 7/16/08.

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